DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor(s), I/We hereby declare that:

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My/Our residence(s), post office address(es) and citizenship(s) are as stated below my name(s). I/We verily believe I am/we are the original, first and sole/joint inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: NITROGEN-SUBSTITUTED HEXAHYDROPYRAZINO[1,2-A]PYRIMIDINE-4,7-DIONE DERIVATIVES, PROCESSES FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND THEIR USE AS MEDICAMENTS and the specification of which is attached hereto (Aventis Docket No.DEAV2003/0072 US NP) was filed on as U.S. Application Number (check one) and was amended on (if applicable).
was described and claimed in PCT Int'l Application Number
and as amended under PCT Article 19 on (i (if any). I/We hereby state that I/We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims as amended by any amendment referred to above. I/We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. I/We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119(a)-(d) or 365 (b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one other country other than the United States of America, listed below and having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed. I/We have also identified below any foreign application for patent or \boxtimes inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed: 13 February 2003 Day/Month/Year Filed Foreign 10305885.0 Germany Number Country Priority: Prior 10349671.8 Germany 24 October 2003 Day/Month/Year Filed Foreign Number Country Appln(s): \boxtimes I/We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of any United States Provisional application(s) listed below: 20 June 2003 60/480,423 Filing Date Number I/We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §120 or 365(c) of any United States application(s) or international application designating the United States listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112, I/We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of 冈 this application. 29 January 2004 Filing Date Pending
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